





RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 (17/2) EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2674

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiroshi KISHI et al. Group Art Unit: 2674

Application No.: 09/698,441 Examiner: A. Abdulselam

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For: CONTROL APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR INPUT SCREENS

SECOND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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In reply to the January 12, 2004 Office Action, the March 16, 2004 personal interview and the May 3, 2004 Advisory Action, the period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.